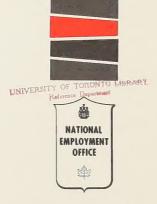
of work done while in the service, academic or vocational courses received during service and any other additional information concerning employment. The employment counselor at NES is able to give advice on employment opportunities related to previous work experience and to assist the ex-servicement in the development of a vocational plan.

Ex-servicemen can speed their integration into the civilian labour market by registering promptly with the NES upon arriving at their place of residence. When registering, they should bring with them:

- Their Release Certificate, or Retirement Card,
- Their Service Book, or Certificate of Service.
- Any other documents which might help the NES employment officer to assess their experience and qualifications.





Unemployment Insurance

Most civilian wage-earners in Canada are covered by unemployment insurance. Military service is not covered, and ex-servicemen are therefore not eligible for unemployment insurance benefits. In order to qualify for benefits, claimants must, among other things, have made a certain number of contributions to the Unemployment Insurance Point insurance benefits of the provide information on this and other questions concerning unemployment insurance.



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Information on employment
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NES is a free public service operated by the Unemployment Insurance Commission. It covers all occupations in offering employment service to job applicants at every level, from professional and scientific to semi-skilled and unskilled.

There are some 200 NES offices in all major centres and larger towns across the country.

NES offices have up-to-date information on job opportunities. NES oc-operates with provincial authorities in the referral of persons to vocational and apprenticeship training courses. NES is equipped in several major population centres to administer standard autilitude and achievement tests.

Each NES office has designated at least one officer to act as special adviser to exservicemen. This officer is prepared to give advice and assistance, not only on employment matters, but also on matters concerning veterans legislation. He acts as a representative of Veterans Affairs in centres where no DNA offices are located.





NES will endeavour to find employment for an applicant as long as he is registered with one of its offices. Whenever a suitable job opening occurs, NES will notify the applicant and refer him for an interview with the employer or the employer's representative. In referring job applicants to employers, NES observes the statutory preference for veterans.

Under certain circumstances, NES will circulate an application for work to other NES offices, thus broadening job opportunities.

Pre-release Information

Before release, a questionnaire (Form UIC 701V) may be completed by the personnel officer on behalf of each serviceman. The main portion of this questionnaire is forwarded to the NES office nearest the ex-serviceman's intended residence so that registration can be made quickly and accurately. This questionnaire provides for identification of the employment background of the applicant prior to estimate, the type of the applicant prior to estimate, the type

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